## **EXHIBIT 4**

## STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS FOR TOM STOKELY

Tom Stokely is water policy coordinator and director with the California Water Impact Network. He recently retired as Principal Planner with the Natural Resources Division of Trinity County. He graduated from UC Santa Cruz in 1979 with a B.A. Degree in Biology and Environmental Studies, with honors in Biology. He has worked for Trinity County for over 23 years as a planner in various capacities, but has worked on Trinity River and Central Valley Project and salmon and steelhead issues for Trinity County since 1989.

He is a member of the Coastal Salmon Recovery Peer Review Committee, which advises the California Department of Fish and Game on spending funds from the Salmon and Steelhead Trout Restoration Account. Mr. Stokely has been a member of the California Advisory Committee on Salmon and Steelhead Trout since 1990, and is a past chairman and vice-chairman. He is a member of the California Department of Water Resources AB 303 Advisory Committee, which advises DWR on the expenditure of grant funds related to groundwater investigations and monitoring.

Mr. Stokely lives and works in Mt. Shasta, Siskiyou County, California, but prior to November 1, 2008 he was a Trinity County resident for over 27 years.